



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 2828** PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q57433

Kiyoshi TAKEI, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2828

Appln. No.: 09/482,099

Confirmation No.: 6543

Examiner: Delma R. Flores Ruiz

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For:

DISTRIBUTED FEEDBACK TYPE SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE AND

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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